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Illogic of Some Features of The Food Additives Law Exposed

Science is up in arms over one phase of the legislation on food additives, the so-called Delaney Amendment, which was hurriedly passed under a misleading label to "guard" against cancer. A worthy purpose, the scientists state, but not effective nor even based on good understanding of the problem.

The chief defect in the law, says Dr. Douglas V. Frost, a leading Midwestern researcher, in a special report to *Nutrition Reviews*, is that it "precludes scientific judgment." It attempts to deal in absolute terms, when they don't exist in fact. In agreement with Dr. Frost's views, the Executive Director of the Nutrition Foundation, Dr. C. G. King, has commented: "Ruling out reason and scientific discretion in this way is ridiculous to begin with, and worse, it makes orderly progress in food production and food law enforcement practically impossible."

President Eisenhower set up a special scientific [illegible] representing the most competent scientists in America, to study and report on the confused situation created by the Delaney Amendment. Their report likewise pointed out fallacies in the thinking (or lack of it) that led to the legislation. Attempts made thus far to make it effective. Fortunately it may be possible for legislators and for the public to gain an understanding of the situation by studying the report, generally referred to as the "Kistiakowsky report," since it has the approval of the President's top science advisor.

There are many examples of the way in which Congressman Delaney's naive prescription misses the mark, Dr. Frost points out. Obviously, the simple requirements of the Delaney Amendment are incapable of meeting complex problems of the sort that deal with the element selenium, for example—an essential nutrient in minute quantities but which can induce cancer in higher quantities. Solutions to the problem of warding off cancer and still utilizing crop sprays and food additives in beneficial amounts demand that we put the full force of scientific research to work. "Suitable tolerances based on knowledge," Dr. Frost affirms, "can be worked out."

ADDITIVE BOOKLET AVAILABLE

A manufacturers guide to legal and technical considerations presented by the Food Additives Amendment of 1958 has been published by the Manufacturing Chemists' Association.

Entitled "How to Proceed Under the Food Additives Amendment," the 12-page booklet is the first published section of a seven-part manual on food additives.

The booklet explains in detail how to comply with the Amendment. Through a question-and-answer format the publication tells how to determine whether a substance should be classified as a food additive. Other sections then describe procedures for filing petitions for approval, for filing objections to regulations and for filing petitions for the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

The MCA's new booklet is published as an activity of the Association's Food Additives Committee. Copies are available from the Association at 50 cents each. Address: 1825 Connecticut Ave., N.W., Washington 9, D. C.

MASSACHUSETTS DELAYS FROZEN FOODS CODE ENFORCEMENT

Massachusetts, the first State to designate an enforcement date for the Frozen Food Code based on proposals drawn up by the Association of Food & Drug Officials of the United States, has announced a six months postponement to Feb. 1, 1961. Scheduled to become effective August 1, the 11th hour postponement came following a public hearing in Boston on July 7. During that hearing legal counsel for the National Association of Frozen Food Packers, Edward Brown Williams and others, voiced strong opposition to the ennactment of such a regulation at this time.

In announcing the postponement, George A. Michael, director of the Department of Public Health, State Division of Food and Drugs, cited the good faith shown by the entire industry in getting their house in order. Many distributors, he said, began to purchase new equipment, which will enable them to comply with the provision of the Code, as far back as six months ago. According to Mr. Michael, many are having difficulty getting delivery on this equipment.

SUNSWEET BUYS INTO DUFFY-MOTT

Sunsweet Growers Inc., San Jose California, has acquired a substantial interest in the Duffy-Mott Company of New York. Duffy-Mott just recently acquired the Prat-Low Preserving Company of Santa Clara, California, to provide manufacturing facilities on the West Coast. Duffy-Mott and Sunsweet have been identified with the production and distribution of Sunsweet prune juice for about 30 years, and are largely responsible for the introduction of prune juice to the American market.

DISTRIBUTORS STOCKS

Canners and Distributors Stocks of Canned Foods

Estimates of July 1, 1960 distributors stocks of 23 canned food items were released July 29 by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.

VEGETABLES.—Distributors stocks of the 12 vegetable items measured in this survey indicated mixed trends—five items reflecting increases over last July and 7 indicated reductions. However, among the larger volume items, only corn showed an increase in distributors stocks. Such volume items as green and wax beans, sauerkraut, tomatoes and tomato catsup and chili sauce, indicated declines of 3 to 9 percent in distributors stocks and much sharper reductions (31 to 54 percent) in canners stocks. Only two items, corn and carrots indicated increases in canners stocks.

FRUITS.—Distributors and canners both reported increases over their July 1, 1959 stocks of applesauce, red-pitted cherries and pineapple and indicated decreases in their stocks of grapefruit segments. However, they showed mixed trends for canned apple stocks—distributors indicating a small decrease (2%) over last July while canners showed a substantial increase (25%). Stocks of red-pitted cherries, up 37 percent at the distributors level and 71 percent at the canners level, reflected the largest increases percentagewise.

JUICES. — Distributors stocks of orange juice, at 1.1 million actual cases on July 1, 1960 were at the same level as a year ago but citrus blends and grapefruit juice showed declines of 4 and 10 percent, respectively. In contrast, canners stocks of all three citrus juices indicated increases of 8 to 25 percent. Distributors and canners both reported decreases in stocks of pineapple juice and tomato juice. Stocks of pineapple juice were reduced 139,000 cases (11%) by distributors and 87,000 cases (2%) by canners. Tomato juice stocks—which showed the sharpest reduction—were down 388,000 cases (16%) at the distributors level and down 1.9 million cases (20%) at the canners level.

FISH.—Maine sardines in distributors hands totaled 172,000 actual cases on July 1, 1960, a decrease of 2 percent below a year ago. Canners stocks of 359,000 (100-can) cases were reduced 15 percent during the same period.

CANNERS AND DISTRIBUTORS STOCKS OF CANNED FOODS
JULY 1, 1959-1960
(Including warehouses of retail multiunit organizations)
(Thousands of actual cases)

Commodity	Distributors		Canners	
	July 1, 1960	July 1, 1959	July 1, 1960	July 1, 1959
VEGETABLES:				
Beans, snap	2,608	2,714	4,050	6,111
Beans, lima	451	471	NA	NA
Beets	1,075	1,213	2,446	2,792
Carrots	431	390	1,515	1,226
Corn	3,511	3,347	4,726	4,070
Pumpkin	315	343	691	727
Sauerkraut	548	564	[1]1,164	[1]2,474
Tomatoes	2,564	2,819	3,006	6,511
Tomato catsup, chili sauce	1,950	2,024	6,732	9,765
Tomato paste	535	490	[2]1,039	[2]2,253
Tomato puree	443	439	[2]233	[2]812
Tomato sauce	692	607	[2]2,068	[2]3,373
FRUITS:				
Apples	388	397	[3]1,592	[3]1,269
Applesauce	1,272	1,222	4,470	3,735
Cherries, R. P.	405	296	336	197
Grapefruit seg	392	403	[4]1,777	[4]2,121
Pineapple	2,013	1,863	[5]5,934	[5]5,615
JUICES:				
Citrus blends	446	465	[4]1,219	[4]1,025
Grapefruit	813	907	[4]3,201	[4]2,961
Orange	1,058	1,058	[4]3,946	[4]3,156
Pineapple	1,114	1,253	[5]4,886	[5]4,973
Tomato	1,998	2,386	7,780	9,714
FISH:				
Maine sardines	172	176	[7]359	[7]422

NA Not available. [1]Converted, 10 cases of 24/2-½'s per barrel of (45 gallons). [2]California only. [3]Standard cases, basis 6/10's. [4]Florida only. [5]Hawaii and the Philippines. [7]Standard cases basis 100/3-¾ ounce cans.

SCHOOL LUNCH FOODS

CANNED SWEETPOTATOES

The U. S. Department of Agriculture announced July 28 an offer to buy canned sweetpotatoes, packed during 1960, for use in the School Lunch Program. Offers will be considered only on No. 10 size cans. Purchases will be made on an offer and acceptance basis. It is contemplated that approximately 400,000 cases may be used, but actual purchases will depend on funds available and prices at which the sweetpotatoes are offered.

Offers must be received by the Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D. C., not later than 4 p.m. (EDT) Aug. 12, for acceptance not later than Aug. 19. Delivery will be required the period Sept. 12 through Nov. 28, 1960.

Further details may be obtained from Claude S. Morris, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agriculture Marketing Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Telephone Washington, D. C., 202 DU 8-2781.

CANNED APRICOTS

USDA announced July 29 the purchase of 176,500 cases of canned apricots, Grade B, in No. 10 cans.

Purchases in California amounted to 170,000 cases at net prices after discounts ranging from $5.30 to $5.49 per case. The average net price was $5.36. Also, 6,500 cases were purchased in Washington at $5.56 and $5.57.

This purchase is in addition to the 146,625 cases purchased earlier and completes the procurement of canned apricots for school lunch this year.

GOVERNMENT WANTS

General Services Administration, 7th & D Sts., S.W., Washington 25, D. C. has asked for bids on the following requirements, to be opened on the dates stated: Canned Corn—August 15, 1960; Canned Figs—August 22, 1960; Canned Fruit Cocktail—August 16, 1960.

Veterans Administration Supply Depot, P.O. Box 27, Hines, Ill., has asked for bids on the following requirements, to be opened on the dates stated: Green Bean Puree—August 29, 1960.

Florida to Invade California—The Florida Citrus Commission plans to invade the Los Angeles area of California with a giant campaign in an effort to capture this large retail sales market for Florida citrus products.

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Condition of Crops

SWEET CORN ACREAGE

Figures compiled by National Canners Association, Division of Statistics, released this week, show the 1960 sweet corn acreage for canning to be 347,164 acres as compared with 378,076 acres in 1959. By sections the acreage in the East totals 48,920 acres this year as against 55,087 acres last year. In the Midwest 265,475 acres as against 294,334 acres in 1959. The West, 32,769 acres as against 28,655 acres last year. The report covers only white and golden sweet corn for canning and does not include acreage planted for freezing or other forms of processing, nor does it give recognition to acreage abandoned.

HOBBS, IND., July 28—Some bacterial spot in *tomatoes;* much 2-4-D damage but extent undetermined. Growing conditions have been almost ideal.

BERLIN, MD., July 27—Much better prospects for *tomatoes* than last year at this time. However, we have not had any rain since July 9 and we are afraid fruit will ripen small. Rain in the next three or four days may be a real saver, if not too late already. Quality good. Fair to good stand on *lima beans.* Not growing at the moment due to lack of moisture. No weed problem.

MARYLAND, July 29—For the second time this season crops on the Eastern Shore, for the most part, were too dry, too long, but just when they were about to be seriously hurt, the rains came. Some areas had thundershowers last week-end which brought up to 0.9" of rain but most areas were still parched when the skies opened up. They were quite general and in amounts that in some cases bordered on, or were, too much. At Westover ½" were reported and Easton had ¼". A good supply was reported on the Upper Shore yesterday afternoon with more coming in the late afternoon and early evening, so that the whole area seems to have had good rain just when it was needed. Some plantings in some fields have been hurt, and some badly.

NEW JERSEY, Aug. 4—Ideal growing weather during the fruit-setting season is largely responsible for the exceptional quality of *tomatoes.* Warm days and cool nights furnish optimum conditions for growing top quality tomatoes, and the 1960 season, thus far, has provided them. Canning started in the State on July 25. Volume during the first week was light but heavier production is now expected. Believe this year shows the finest quality canning tomatoes in 27 years.

OHIO, Aug. 1—Reports indicate excellent crop prospect for *tomatoes.* Predicted tonnage of 10 to 16 tons per acre. Harvest dates range from August 1 to 15, depending on variety and location. Had a bad hail storm in Wood County on July 19 with several fields badly ruined.

CORVALLIS, ORE., July 27—Acreage on *Blue Lake beans* is 90 percent due to wet spring and delayed planting. Bunched harvesting may cause some loss. *Beets* are 75 percent of normal due to late wet spring and delayed planting; about 40 percent of our acreage had to be replanted. Stands are below normal. Looks like a normal *sweet corn* crop but bunched harvest due to late wet spring and delayed planting. Stands are good and crop is growing fast. *Carrots* are about 85 percent of normal due to late wet spring and delayed planting. Crop is growing good. The 1960 season in Western Oregon and Western Washington was the wettest spring we have ever had. Planting of all vegetables was delayed. *Berry* and *fruit* crops were reduced to from zero to 50 percent of normal. *Purple plum* crop is total failure.

SOMERSET, PA., July 27—*Pea* acreage down 15 percent; yield so far and anticipated yielded to end of pack 10 percent above 1959. *Sweet corn* acreage down 15 percent. Prospective yield at this date 10 to 15 percent above 1959.

MONTROSS, VA., July 29—A long period of extremely dry weather has retarded the vine growth of *tomatoes* on the early crop and brought on considerable blossom end rot which has taken its toll. Now that we are getting ample rain it is possible that conditions may improve somewhat. We have a fair acreage of plants set during the month of June which should possibly do very well but will be very late. Our overall prospect should possibly be a little better than last year yield-wise.

WISCONSIN, July 29—Usually expect one rain-free week during the crop season, sometimes two, but in 1960 every week has produced substantial amounts of rain, and July has been no exception. Expect the end of the *pea* packing season on August 3. Despite seasonal lateness, exceptionally fine quality is being produced in the northern part of the State. Yields well above normal on late sweets in the Southern part of the State. Crop of corn is responding well to normal temperatures this past week. Fields are progressing nicely and expect to start packing August 15. Fields of first *wax beans* are setting on not too large bushes. *Green beans* are in blossom with good yields expected. Expect to start packing August 5.

WISCONSIN, July 29—Conditions vary greatly within the State; some of the Western counties have had only one inch of rain in July, while some in the Eastern part have had 8 to 9 inches. Some *pea* acreage is being passed because fields are too wet to harvest. Several hundred acres have also been lost from drowning out and from hail. However, the ample moisture has boosted yields throughout most of the state. About a third of the *pea* canning plants in the State will finish the end of this week but *pea* canning will continue at other plants for one, two and three weeks. Half of the plants in the State will be canning *beans* by the end of this week. Because of dry weather early *beans* are poor in the Western part of the State but canners in the Eastern part report continued rain will damage the crop. Almost half of the state's *snap bean* acreage is under irrigation. Reports indicate the *sweet corn* crop to be good to fair. Unevenness and weeds in many fields. Crop progressing due to higher temperatures but still late and some areas have no tassels showing. Expect to start canning in the State abuot August 15 with pack generally under way about August 25. Harvesting of *cucumbers* for *pickles* has started. Several canners in the State will start packing *beets* next week.

MARKET NEWS

NEW YORK MARKET

Buying Interest Increases as Distributors Seek to Balance Inventories—Prices Hold as Packs Progress

By "New York Stater"

New York, August 5, 1960

The Situation.—Improved buying interest is reported in a number of canned vegetables, both for private label and in standard and extra standard grades under canner labels. Movement in canned fish is also picking up as distributors bring in replacements to take care of the usual bulge in consumption which develops during the warm weather months. Activity in fruits, however, is on the quiet side at the moment, as traders wait more developments in west coast packing operations.

The Outlook.—The Census Bureau report durng the week, indicating declines in distributor holdings of a number of important canned vegetables as compared with year-ago inventories, points a modest upturn in near-term demand as chains and wholesalers seek to bring their holdings into balance. However, buyers are keeping a weather eye on the business outlook, complicated as it is by the fact that this is a presidential election year, and by the added fact that many forecasts as to the state of business made at the beginning of the year—when the "Fabulous Sixties" was the keynote of most prognosticators—have proved overoptimistic—to say the least.

Tomatoes.—With packers refraining from pressing new pack for sale at the expense of prices, the market is showing a fairly stable tone, with Tri-State standard 1's holding at $1.05, 303s at $1.20, 2½s at $2.15, and 10s at $7.00-$7.25—with many packers showing higher price views. Reports from canning areas indicate that many canners have completed arrangements for storing their packs, anticipating a more favorable price basis later on in the year—particularly if the current crop should bunch, leading to a falling off in production later in the East are ranging $1.40-$1.50 for 303s, season. Extra standard tomatoes in the with 2½'s quoted at $2.30-$2.35.

Corn.—Canners in the tri-states are now running on the new corn pack and early indications are that it will be priced at about the same basis as the market on carryover, which finds standard crushed golden 303s at $1.15, extra standards at $1.25 and fancy at $1.35. Fancy whole kernel white shoepeg corn is holding at $1.50, with extra standards at $1.35 and standards at $1.15.

Peas.—Pea canners in the east are showing stronger price views on new pack, reflecting light holdings and a growing tightness in the supply of standard 10s. Currently, the market for standard pod run Alaskas 303s is held at $1.15, with extra standards at $1.25. Standard podrun sweets are quoted at $1.20, with extra standards at $1.25 and fancy at $1.35. Midwestern canners are reported to have booked business on standard sweets at $1.20, with extra standards at $1.25. On fancy 1 sieve the market is indicated at $2.50, with 2-sieve at $1.95 and 3-sieve at $1.50, while 4-sieve is held at $1.40. Fancy ungraded sweets are quoted at $1.40-$1.50, f.o.b. Wisconsin canneries.

Apple Sauce.—With the new pack still about a month off, canners are getting a moderate call for sauce in small lots for prompt shipment. The market is generally held at $1.25 for fancy 303s and $7.00 for 10s. Higher packing costs are in prospect this season as a result of a price increase in sugar stemming from supply dislocations following this country's cancellation of a substantial part of Cuba's U. S. market quota. This has brought with it an over-all increase of a half-cent per pound in both granulated and liquid sugars in most parts of the country.

Other Fruits.—Eastern pack peaches, which are becoming more important market—wise each year, have been moving well this season. South Carolina canners are reported generally sold-up, with Georgia packers still booking choice halves, in 2½s, at $2.45. Other eastern canners have been booking s.a.p. business, with a general market around $2.45 looked for on choice halves. . . . California canners have booked a good volume of business on apricots, and buyer interest is now veering to other fruits in California and the Northwest. Distributors who normally do a small business each year in berries under their own labels are finding it exceedingly difficult to locate supplies this season, with the fresh market and freezers getting most of the fruit, at prices well over last year's levels.

CHICAGO MARKET

Spot Market Continues Firm Despite the Lack of Buying Interest—Coast Canners Open on Fruits

By "Midwest"

Chicago, August 4, 1960

THE SITUATION.—Trading interest here has been sliding down hill the past few weeks and has now reached an uncomfortable level. There was a rash of mid-year inventories which always serves as an excellent excuse to buy little or nothing plus the fact the trade just don't seem to have much enthusiasm for anything but short term needs. Regardless of the current conditions, spot markets continue firm with the general outlook for a continuation of the same. However, most distributors have covered with normal sources of supply for their annual requirements and seem intent to just use them as needed. It is not a very robust picture but that is what it amounts to at present.

The corn pack in a few isolated areas will get under way in the Midwest by the time this reaches print but no one is inclined to name prices as yet. There is considerable worry about the lateness of the crop and the experts seem to feel there will be no more corn available this season than was consumed during the last twelve months even if conditions are right. Processing of tomatoes will start locally by the middle of this month and will pick up steam thereafter. Again only a few canners have ventured to name any kind of prices. Opening prices have been named on new pack cocktail and also Cling peaches but the

Coast situation is one of confusion as this is written. No one seems sure these openings represent the level at which business will eventually be done and thinking of this kind does not produce volume trading. It all boils down to a game of wait and see.

BEANS.—Those canners with new pack beans to sell are moving contrary to the general trend as the trade here were in need of all kinds of beans and they felt opening prices were at a reasonable level. Now buyers here are anxiously awaiting first available supplies of new pack Blue Lakes as fancy cuts are very tight and early shipments will be heavy. Standard cut green are usually listed at $1.10 for 303s and $6.00 for tens although the current emphasis is on fancy cuts which are selling at $1.45 and $8.50 for three sieves.

KRAUT.—Warmer weather and anticipated lower prices has slowed kraut sales down to a walk. Fancy kraut is now generally priced at $6.60 for tens, $1.95 for 2½s and $1.42½ for 303s although new pack is expected to be sharply lower. The average kraut canner is not particularly concerned as unsold stocks are getting close to bare floors and under such circumstances why worry. The cabbage crop locally appears to be coming along in excellent shape and canners will push the curing process as fast as possible this fall when the real promotions will start.

CORN.—Reports from Wisconsin in regards to the current corn crop are becoming more pessimistic as the lateness of the crop has everyone worried about corn borers and the possibilities of an early frost. The average buyer takes all this with a grain of salt seemingly unimpressed although this attitude will change if the worst happens and the market starts to move. At the moment, fancy cream corn is worth $1.45 per dozen for 303s, $1.20 to $1.25 for extra standard and $1.15 for standard. The trade are hoping these prices will be lower once new corn is ready but it doesn't look that way right now.

PEAS.—The current pack of peas in Wisconsin is running so heavily toward better grades that prices are slightly lower on such items as fancy twos and fancy threes. The latter item in 303s is now offered at $1.55 with the former at $1.95. However, the weather is getting warmer and canners may not be so lucky with the balance of the sweet pea pack. Standard 303 sweets and Alaskas have been sold here as low as $1.15 but they are a little tough to find at that level now. Most canners are holding at $1.20 as unsold stocks are anything but burdensome. The outlook continues to favor firm prices all through the season.

TOMATOES.—The midwest tomato crop looks excellent at the moment and canning should get under way in another couple of weeks. Trading is at a minimum as distributors are on the sidelines awaiting more concrete information in regards to new pack pricing. So far, they haven't had much as only a few canners have seen fit to quote and then on only one or two sizes. Standard 303s have been offered at $1.30 to $1.35 for shipment when packed with ones at $1.02½ to $1.05. Nothing has been heard from California so far and the trade here are not likely to make much of a move until this important producing area is ready to name prices.

COCKTAIL.—Cocktail canners are about ready to start the 1960 pack and first quotations on new cocktail just reached here today. Fancy grade is listed at $2.20 for 303s, $3.40 for 2½s and $12.45 for tens with choice grade at $2.12½, $3.25 and $11.85. These prices are not much different than current spot lists with the exception of tens. Choice tens have been selling here as low as $11.00 and can still be purchased at $11.35. Actually, there is still a great deal of uncertainty as to whether or not the above prices represent the real thing and it will probably take about a week for all canners including the sharpshooters to really decide the issue.

CLING PEACHES.—A very similar situation surrounds Cling peaches at the moment as prices were just named by a few of the independents on the basis of $2.50 for 2½ choice. Here again there seems to be a lack of confidence and that it will take for the trade here to make a real move. The above price compares to the early low point of $2.35 last year at which level buyers had been hoping they could buy again this season. There have been rumors of lower raw stock costs on peaches but so far they have been merely rumors and nothing more. As in the case of cocktail, it will take a while for the confusion to be wiped away.

OTHER FRUITS.—Nothing doing as yet on new pack pears as raw stock prices have not been settled and Northwest canners are off the market anyhow. The one thing that is certain is a much smaller pack is in the offing at sharply higher prices. No sales reported on prune plums as spot stocks

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No. 1 Pic. ..... —
No. 300 ..... 2.10-2.25
No. 10 ..... 13.00-14.00

BEANS, Stringless, Green
East
Fcy., Fr. Style, 8 oz. 1.05
No. 303 ..... 1.55-1.65
No. 10 ..... 8.50-8.75
Fcy., Cut, Gr., No. 303 .. 1.45-1.50
No. 10 ..... 8.25-8.50
Ex. St., Cut Gr.,
No. 303 ..... 1.25-1.30
No. 10 ..... 7.50-8.00
St. Cut. No. 303 ..... 1.15-1.20
No. 10 ..... 6.50-7.00
Wax, Fcy., Wh., 3 sv.,
No. 303 ..... 2.05
No. 10 ..... 11.00
Cut, 3 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.60
No. 10 ..... 8.75-9.00
Ex. St., Cut, No. 303 ..... 1.40
No. 10 ..... 8.50-8.75
St. Ctu. No. 303 3 ..... 1.30
No. 10 ..... 6.75-7.00
Midwest
Gr., Wh., Fcy., No. 303 .. 1.80-2.85
No. 10 ..... 10.50-12.50
Fcy., Cut, No. 303 ..... 1.40-1.50
No. 10 ..... 8.00-8.50
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.30-1.50
No. 10 ..... 7.00-7.50
Std., Cut, No. 303 ..... 1.10-1.15
No. 10 ..... 6.00-6.25
Wax, Fcy., Cut, 3 sv.,
No. 303 ..... 1.55-1.65
No. 10 ..... 9.50-10.00
4 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.50-1.55
No. 10 ..... 8.75-9.25
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.35-1.55
No. 10 ..... 6.85-7.50
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.30
No. 10 ..... 6.25-6.50
South
Fcy., Wh. Gr., No. 303 ..... 1.90
No. 10 ..... 9.00
Fcy., Cut, G., No 303 ..... —
No. 10 ..... 8.50-8.75
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.20-1.30
No. 10 ..... 7.00
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.10-1.25
No. 10 ..... 6.25-6.50
Blue Lakes
Fcy., Vert. 3 sv., No. 303 .. 2.45
4 sv., No. 303 ..... 2.35
Fcy., Cut, 3 sv.,
No. 303 ..... 1.85-1.90
No. 10 ..... 9.75
4 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.75
No. 10 ..... 9.40
Ex. St., 5 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.45
No. 10 ..... 8.25
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.35
No. 10 ..... 7.25

BEANS, LIMA
East
Fcy., Tiny Gr., No. 303 .. 2.50-2.60
No. 10 ..... 13.75-14.00
Small, No. 303 ..... 2.15
No. 10 ..... 12.25
Medium, No. 303 ..... 1.90
No. 10 ..... 11.00-11.25
Ex. Std., G.&W., No. 303 .... 1.40
No. 10 ..... 9.50
Mid-West
Fcy., Tiny Gr., No. 303 .. 2.25-2.50
No. 10 ..... 13.75-14.00
Small, No. 303 ..... 2.00-2.10
No. 10 ..... 12.00-12.25
Medium, No. 303 .... 1.85-1.90
No. 10 ..... 11.00-11.50
Ex. Std., Gr. & W., No. 303 ... 1.45
No. 10 ..... 9.50

BEETS
East, Fcy., Diced,
No. 303 ..... 1.05-1.10
Fcy., Sliced, No. 303 .... 1.10-1.30
Midwest, Fcy., Sl., 8 oz. ... 82½
No. 303 ..... 1.07½
No. 10 ..... 5.00-5.25
Diced, No. 303 ..... 1.00
No. 10 ..... 4.50-4.75

CARROTS
East, Fcy., Diced, No. 303 1.25
No. 10 ..... 6.25-6.50
Mid-West, Fancy, Diced,
No. 303 ..... 1.10-1.20
No. 10 ..... 6.25
Sliced, No. 303 ..... 1.20-1.30
No. 10 ..... 6.75-7.00

CORN
East
W.K. & C.S. Golden
Fcy., No. 303 ..... 1.35-1.65
No. 10 ..... 8.50-8.75
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.25-1.50
No. 10 ..... 8.00-8.50
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.15-1.35
No. 10 ..... 7.50-7.75
Shoepeg, Fcy., No. 303 .. 1.50-1.75
No. 10 ..... 9.50-10.00
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.35-1.50
No. 10 ..... —
Mid West
W.K., C.S., Gold., Fcy.,
No. 12 oz. 1.50
No. 303 ..... 1.35-1.55
No. 10 ..... 8.25-8.50
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.25-1.30
No. 10 ..... 7.75-8.00
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.15-1.20
No. 10 ..... 6.25
Co. Gent., W.K. & C.S.
Fcy., No. 303 ..... 1.50-1.65
No. 10 ..... 8.50-9.00
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.35-1.50
No. 10 ..... 8.00-8.50
Std., No. 303 ..... —
No. 10 ..... —

PEAS
East Alaskas
Fcy., 1 sv., 8 oz. 1.62½
1 sv., No. 303 ..... 2.50-2.60
1 sv., No. 10 ..... 13.50
2 sv., 8 oz. 1.27½
2 sv., No. 303 ..... 2.05
2 sv., No. 10 ..... 11.75
3 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.65
3 sv., No. 10 ..... 9.00
Ex. Std., 2 sv., No. 303 .. 1.40-1.50
No. 10 ..... 8.75
3 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.25-1.35
No. 10 ..... 8.00-8.25
4 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.25
No. 10 ..... 7.00-7.75
Std., 3 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.25
3 sv., No. 10 ..... 7.50
4 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.15-1.20
No. 10 ..... 6.25-6.50
Pod Run, No. 303 .... 1.15-1.25
No. 10 ..... 6.25-6.75
East Sweets
Fcy., Pod Run, No. 303 .. 1.35-1.45
No. 10 ..... 8.25-8.50
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.25-1.35
No. -0 ..... 7.75-8.00
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.20-1.25
No. 10 ..... 6.50-6.75
Midwest Alaskas
Fcy., 1 sv., 8 oz. 1.65-1.75
1 sv., No. 303 ..... 2.60-2.65
1 sv., No. 10 ..... 13.50-14.25
2 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.90-2.05
2 sv., No. 10 ..... 11.50-12.25
3 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.55-1.60
No. 10 ..... 8.75
Ex. Std., 3 sv., 8 oz. ... 92½-.95
3 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.40-1.45
3 sv., No. 10 ..... 8.25
4 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.30-1.35
4 sv., No. 10 ..... 7.25-7.50
Std., 3 sv., 8 oz. 85
3 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.25-1.30
3 sv., No. 10 ..... 7.50-7.75
4 sv., 8 oz. 85
4 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.15-1.25
4 sv., No. 10 ..... 6.75-7.00
Mid-West Sweets
Fcy., 3 sv., No. 303 .... 1.55-1.60
No. 10 ..... 8.75
Fcy., 4 sv., No. 303 .... 1.45-1.50
No. 10 ..... 8.00-8.25
Ungraded, No. 303 ..... 1.50
No. 10 ..... 8.00-8.25
Ex. Std., 3 sv., No. 303 1.40-1.47½
No. 10 ..... 8.00-8.25
4 sv., No. 303 ..... 1.25-1.35
No. 10 ..... 7.25-7.50
Ungraded, No. 303 ..... 1.30-1.40
No. 10 ..... 7.50
Std., Ung., No. 303 .... 1.20-1.30
No. 10 ..... 7.00

PUMPKIN
Midwest, Fcy., No. 2½ .. 1.55-1.60
No. 10 ..... 5.50
East, Fcy., No. 2½ 1.65
No. 10 ..... 5.90-6.00

SAUERKRAUT
Midwest, Fcy., No. 303 ... 1.42½
No. 2½ 1.95
No. 10 ..... 6.60
N. Y., Fcy., 2½ 2.00
No. 10 ..... 6.80

SPINACH
Tri-State, Fcy., No. 303 1.40-1.45
No. 2½ 2.00-2.10
No. 10 ..... 6.50-7.00
Ozark, Fcy., No. 303 .... 1.10-1.20
No. 2½ 1.85
No. 10 ..... 5.65
Calif., Fcy., No. 303 .. 1.15-1.17½
No. 2½ 1.65-1.67½
No. 10 ..... 4.85

SWEET POTATOES
Tri-States, syr., No. 303 ..... 1.50
No. 3, Sq. 2.00-2.15
No. 2½ 2.40-2.50
No. 10 ..... 9.75-10.50

TOMATOES
Tri-States
Ex. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.40-1.50
No. 2½ 2.30-2.40
No. 10 ..... 7.75-8.00
Std., No. 1 ..... 1.05
No. 303 ..... 1.20
No. 2½ 2.15
No. 10 ..... 7.00-7.25
Fla. Std., No. 303 ..... 1.25
No. 2½ 2.00
No. 10 ..... 7.00-7.25
Mid-West, Fcy., No. 1 ..... 1.40
No. 303 ..... 1.95-2.10
No. 2½ 3.15-3.25
No. 10 ..... 9.50-9.75
Ex. Std., No. 1 ..... 1.20
No. 303 ..... 1.60
No. 2½ 2.40-2.55
No. 10 ..... 8.25-8.75
Std., No. 1 ..... 1.02½-1.05
No. 303 ..... 1.30-1.35
No. 2½ 2.30-2.35
No. 10 ..... 8.00
Calif., Fcy., S.P., No. 303 .... 1.75
No. 2½ 2.65
No. 10 ..... 9.50
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.40
No. 2½ 2.00
No. 10 ..... 7.25
Ozarks, Std., No. 303 ... 1.35-1.40
No. 10 ..... 7.25
Texas, Std., No. 303 ..... 1.35
No. 10 ..... 7.50

TOMATO CATSUP
Calif., Fcy., 14 oz. 1.60
No. 10 ..... 9.75
Mid-West, Fcy., 14 oz. .. 1.70-1.75
No. 10 ..... 10.25-10.50
East, Fcy., 14 oz. 1.77½-1.87½
No. 10 ..... 11.00

TOMATO PASTE
Calif., Fcy., 96/6 oz. 7.25
No. 10 (per doz.) 26% ... 11.85
No. 10 (per doz.) 30% .. 13.00
Mid-West
No. 10 (per doz.) 26% 11.85

TOMATO PUREE
Calif., Fcy., 1.06, No. 303 ... 1.60
No. 10 ..... 7.50
Mid-West, Fcy., 1.045,
No. 1 ..... 1.00-1.05
No. 10 ..... 6.75
East, Fcy., 1.045, No. 1 ..... 1.05
No. 10 ..... 7.00

FRUITS

APPLE SAUCE
East, Fcy., No. 303 ..... 1.25-1.35
No. 10 ..... 7.00-7.25
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.20
No. 10 ..... 6.35
Calif. (gravensteins)
Fcy., No. 303 ..... 1.55
No. 10 ..... 8.75-9.25
Choice, No. 303 ..... 1.40
No. 10 ..... 8.25

APPLES (East)
Sl., No. 10 ..... 8.75-9.25

APRICOTS
Halves, Fcy., No. 2½ 4.00
No. 10 ..... 13.50
Choice, No. 2½ 3.25-3.35
No. 10 ..... 11.70
Std., No. 2½ 2.95
No. 10 ..... 10.50
S.P. Pie, No. 10 ..... 12.00
Fcy., Wh. Peeled, No. 2½ 4.00
No. 10 ..... 13.50

BLUEBERRIES
No. 300 H/S 2.75-2.85
No. 10, Water 16.00-16.85

CHERRIES
R.S.P., Water, No. 303 .. 2.05-2.10
No. 10 ..... 11.75-12.50
R.A., Fcy., No. 2½ 6.15
No. 10 ..... 21.30
Choice, No. 2½ 5.85
No. 10 ..... 20.00

COCKTAIL
Fcy., No. 303 ..... 2.20
No. 2½ 3.40
No. 10 ..... 12.45
Choice, No. 303 ..... 2.12½
No. 2½ 3.25
No. 10 ..... 11.85

GRAPEFRUIT SECTIONS
Fla., Fcy., No. 303 ..... 1.90
Fcy., Citrus Salad,
No. 303 ..... 2.72½

PEACHES
Calif., Cling Fcy., No. 303 .. 1.90
No. 2½ 2.75
No. 10 ..... 10.00
Choice, No. 303 ..... 1.70
No. 2½ 2.50
No. 10 ..... 9.25
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.62½
No. 2½ 2.35
No. 10 ..... 8.65
Elberta, Fcy., No. 2½ .. 2.90-2.95
No. 10 ..... 10.75-11.25
Choice, No. 2½ 2.70
No. 10 ..... 10.35

PEARS
Fcy., No. 303 ..... 2.35
No. 2½ 3.65
No. 10 ..... 12.40
Choice, No. 303 ..... 2.15
No. 2½ 3.30
No. 10 ..... 11.50
Std., No. 303 ..... 1.95
No. 2½ 2.90
No. 10 ..... 10.50

PINEAPPLE—Per case
(Toll & Wfge. extra)
Hawaiian, Fcy., Sl., 24/2 .... 6.95
24/2½ 8.05
6/10 ..... 7.50
Crushed, 24/2 ..... 5.60
24/2½ 7.00
6/10 ..... 5.95
Choice, Sl., 24/2 ..... 5.60
24/2½ 6.95
6/10 ..... 6.95
Std., Half Slices, 24/2 ..... 5.10
24/2½ 6.65
6/10 ..... 6.10

PLUMS, PURPLE
N.W., Fcy., No. 303 ..... —
No. 2½ 3.00
No. 10 ..... 9.25
Choice, No. 303 ..... —
No. 2½ 2.75
No. 10 ..... 8.75

JUICES

APPLE
Midwest, 1 qt. gl. 1.90-2.10
46 oz. tin 2.70-2.75

CITRUS BLENDED
Fla., No. 2 ..... 1.20
46 oz. 2.75

GRAPEFRUIT
Fla., No. 2 ..... 1.02½-1.07½
46 oz. 2.25-2.40

ORANGE
Fla., No. 2 ..... 1.32½-1.42½
46 oz. 3.25-3.40

PINEAPPLE—Per Case
Hawaiian, Fcy., 24/2 ..... 2.40
12/46 oz. 2.45

TOMATO
East, Fcy., No. 2 ..... 1.20
46 oz. 2.40-2.55
No. 10 ..... —
Mid-West, Fcy., No. 2 .. 1.20-1.25
46 oz. 2.40-2.50
Calif., Fcy., No. 2 ..... 1.20
46 oz. 2.50
No. 10 ..... 4.80

FISH

SALMON—Per Case 48 Cans
Alaska, Red, No. 1T .. 36.00-38.00
½'s 23.00-24.00
Med., Red, No. 1T .. 30.00-31.00
½'s 18.50
P.S. Sockeye, ½'s 24.00-25.00
Pink, Tall, No. 1 ..... 24.00-25.00
½'s 13.50-14.00
Chum, Tall, No. 1 ..... 22.00
½'s 12.50

SARDINES—Per Case
Calif., Ovals, 24/1's 4.25-4.50
Ovals, 48/1's 8.00
No. 1 T., Nat. ..... —
Maine, ¼ Oil Keyless .. 8.50-9.00
¼ Oil Key Carton ..... —

SHRIMP—Reg. 5 oz. per doz.
Jumbo 5.50
Large 5.00
Medium 4.50
Small 4.10
Broken 3.40

TUNA—Per Case
Fcy., White Meat, ½'s 14.50
Fcy., Light Meat, ½'s .. 10.25-10.75
Chunks 9.50
Grated 6.75